

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2916

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 30 2010

RE: S.C.R. No. 194

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa
President of the Senate
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2010
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Human Services, to which was referred
S.C.R. No. 194 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE
SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO
AUTHORIZE THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON AGING IN PLACE
TO CONTINUE TO MEET AND CARRY OUT THE WORK OF THE COMMITTEE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request that the Senate
President and Speaker of the House of Representatives authorize
the Joint Legislative Committee on Aging in Place to continue to
meet and carry out the work of the Committee that is currently set
to terminate on June 30, 2010.

Testimony in support of this measure was submitted by the
Association for the Advancement of Retired Persons, the Policy
Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, the National Multiple Sclerosis
Society, and three individuals. Written testimony presented to
the Committee may be reviewed on the Legislature's website.

Your Committee finds that being able to age with dignity in
one's own home is a highly coveted idea with members of our
community, and that resources should be utilized so that people
are allowed to age as long as possible at home. Your Committee
also finds that many grandparents in the community are raising
their grandchildren or are significant caregivers for them and
experience many of the same obstacles that younger caregivers do
when in a family setting. Your Committee further finds that
despite the economic climate that has eliminated many resources



for these caregivers, the issue of aging in place continues to be very important to members of the community and the work of the Joint Legislative Committee on Aging in Place should continue.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Human Services that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 194 and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Human Services,


Suzanne Chun Oakland

SUZANNE CHUN OAKLAND, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Fifth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Record of Votes
Committee on Human Services
HMS

Bill / Resolution No.:* SCR 194	Committee Referral: HMS, WAM	Date: 3-29-10		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne (C)	✓			
IHARA, Jr., Les (VC)	✓			
GREEN, M.D., Josh				✓
HEMMINGS, Fred	✓			
TOTAL	3	0	0	1
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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*Only one measure per Record of Votes